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Examiner: Bernshiteyn, Michael

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For: **AQUEOUS COATING COMPOSITIONS****Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 6, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-6, 10-12, 18-22, 24-35, and 37-41 are pending, and this is confirmed in paragraph 5 of the Office Action.

According to paragraph 3 of the Office Action, the Examiner acknowledges that, in view of the amendments and remarks submitted in the communication dated November 19, 2007, the rejection of claims 1, 3-6, 10-12, 16-22 and 31-35 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Martin et al. (U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003/0191231) as well as the rejection of claims 23-30 and 36-41 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Martin et al. in view of Johnson et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,837,045) have been withdrawn.